

MR. FOX FIXES BARN, GETS O. K.

Village Approves Improvement After Neighbors Make Complaint

Mr. S. J. Fox, on whose 40-foot lot at 845 Bonaventure avenue is a barn housing six horses, two trucks, five searers, a touring car, etc., has satisfactorily improved his property so that complaints of neighbors about the stable odors will no longer be necessary, James W. Parry, village manager, has been informed.

Mr. Fox was asked to appear before the Village Commission Monday night, following a petition of neighbors that an ordin-

ance be passed to compel Mr. Fox to improve his property. Dr. A. W. Newton, health officer, had previously reported that an unsatisfactory condition existed there, and told the commission that an ordinance would be necessary to remedy the situation.

Mr. Fox appeared at the meeting, but none of those who petitioned for the ordinance was there to complain. Mr. Fox explained that his property was going to be improved and that the cover he had on his fertilizer box would be put in its proper place. The floor in the barn was cement, he said, and met all sanitary requirements. He promised to have the improvements and drainage completed by noon Thursday.

An investigation made by the village showed that he had complied with the village's request.

The largest door in the world, weighing 35 tons, has been installed in a bank vault in Berlin.

TENNIS FANS SEE EXCELLENT YEAR

Birmingham Club Players Await Chance To Play On Resurfaced Courts

Interest is running high at the Birmingham Tennis Club in anticipation of an early opening of the playing season this year. Favorable weather of the past few weeks has sufficiently dried the three courts at Lincoln and Pierce streets so that resurfacing will be begun today and continued for play within a week.

Walter Crossley, professional tennis coach, who was with the club last season, is expected to return within the next few weeks. The resurfacing of the courts, rising interest among the younger players as evidenced toward the close of the 1929 season, the return of Crossley, and the tournaments and matches planned, we should have a most successful year, says Craig Richey, president of the club. "There are a few memberships available," Mr. Richey added.

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club. He succeeds Dr. Warren P. Gibson, who was elected president. Other officers elected were John B. Howarth and Charles B. Randall, re-elected secretary and treasurer, respectively.

Mr. Connelly's election took place at a meeting of the directors yesterday noon, and followed the customary annual election of directors, which was held last Monday. Officers are selected by the directors from among themselves. Other directors include George B. Boushrell, Walter Pongy, L. E. Colgrove, James W. Parry, and Charles J. Shain.

Mr. Connelly is a charter member of the Birmingham Rotary club. Together with Mr. Howarth, both men have attained the distinction of never having missed a meeting in the six years since the club was organized.

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W. D. Thompson, The Judson Broadway Room for Boys will be presided by William C. Harrell, who officiated at the dedication of the old Community House, Apr. 18, 1923. The Girl Scout Assembly Room will be presented by Mrs. Richard Fowler, and the Boy Scout Assembly Room by J. J. Martindale.

The lighting of the auditorium fire pipes will be effected by the Girl Reserves and their advisers, Mrs. Harold Gray, Mrs. William E. Elcock, and Miss Nellie Walker. A prayer of dedication will be voiced by the Rev. David Leon Howard, and the benediction by the Rev. Henry S. Evans.

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Moore bloc to investigate the records to enlighten the taxpayers regarding county conditions. "The supervisors have a nice start towards putting the county on a more economical basis," he said. "We must eliminate waste and reduce expenses. It is like pulling teeth to change the old order of things."

But confirmation should be regarded as only a beginning. It may conclude the period of instruction. But it also includes the promise to be content with the knowledge gained, but by earnest study of the Scripture and through faithful attendance upon the services to grow in the knowledge of the Lord Jesus Christ. Much depends upon the parents in the crucial years that follow confirmation. Their responsibility is to give to the children such a Christian example as will inspire them to make further progress in their Christianity.

The following will receive the rite of confirmation on the evening of Good Friday and on Easter Sunday: Messrs. G. Melvin, Steve Smith, and W. Bowman on the former occasion, and Ernestine Hopeworth, Martha Eggert, Patsy Burke, Wilbur Schlesske, Stanley

VILLAGE DENIES DAMAGE CLAIM

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The petition of Frederick Dickinson, 256 Plaginn road, for damages he claims were incurred by his automobile because of the rough pavement on Maple avenue west, were denied by the Village Commission Monday night, upon the advice of Clara H. Ogden, village attorney.

Mr. Dickinson, in a letter to the commission, stated that a tire on his automobile was damaged beyond repair when his car wheel dropped into a deep rut while he was driving less than 10 miles an hour at 10:30 p. m., Mar. 26.

Mr. Parry reported that while the pavement was in need of repair on that night, it was not rough enough to cause the damage Mr. Dickinson claimed under these circumstances.

ROTARY ANNS NOMINATE 10

The Rotary Anns nominated a ballot of 10 officers at the home of Mrs. George Steelman, on River road, where they met Tuesday evening. The following names were selected: Mrs. George Steelman, Mrs. Fred Crawford, Mrs. John Maynard, Mrs. Charles Carr, Mrs. Walter Elmer, Mrs. Victor Peck, Mrs. Charles Randall, Mrs. William C. Rowland, Mrs. George Steelman, Mrs. L. M. Pyle, and Mrs. E. E. Everett.

At the May meeting, a committee of seven will be chosen by the whole society from these 10, and will later meet and apportion the offices among themselves. Mrs. Elmer Huston, Mrs. Rowland, Mrs. Louis Hascall, and Mrs. Randall were hostesses, and Mrs. Crawford entertained members of the organization with readings.

Child Study Group To Hear Detroit

Miss Elizabeth Hincks, of the Juvenile Court, in Detroit, will speak Monday morning at 10 in the Baldwin Public library before the Pre-Adolescent Child Study group of the A. A. U. W. The title of her subject is, "Alleged Social-Moral Traits of Pre-Adolescence." She will illustrate her talk with case histories of the Juvenile court.

American Legion Sponsors Dance

The Charles Edwards Post of the American Legion and the Legion Auxiliary will sponsor a dance at the Springdale Park clubhouse, on the evening of Friday, Apr. 25. Tickets may be secured at the following business houses: Mix Jewellers, Peter Aris, Bird, and C. W. Matthews; Tailor shop, Cut Rate Meat Market, and Olsen's Meat market; and David Thompson, general chairman, Edward V. Myers, and Lloyd Stanley.

RADIO TO BE GIVEN AWAY FREE TUESDAY

Persons visiting the Economical Drug Store the past week and until April 22nd are being given free coupons. In cooperation with the Sunshine Boy Radio Shoppe of East Maple avenue a Cruisette Radio will be given to the holder of the coupon comparing in number with one to be drawn at the Public Kunsky Birmingham Theatre Tuesday night. Harold Kean, entertainer of radio station WJR, will make the drawing.

After spending 30 of the last 23 years in prison, Bill Taylor of Edinburgh has been sent back for five years for theft after being out only a month.

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a while it became a little irksome. Mr. Cutler thought something should be done about it so he went to Mr. Corson. And then the fun began. Mr. Corson attempted to negotiate between the two families. Mr. Scott refused to have his number changed just because a new neighbor was given the same number. "But," Mr. Corson protested, "Mr. Cutler has the right number. Your number should be 518."

Mr. Scott was adamant. He declined to accept Mr. Corson's offer to pay for the expense of moving the numeral five behind, instead of in front of the one. Mr. Corson offered to reimburse Mr. Scott for letter-head writing paper on which the wrong address had been so unwittingly printed.

Then, after several months had passed, Mr. and Mrs. Cutler appeared before the Village Commission in session. Would they please do something to help the number. A very observing officer was commissioned to do the job. But he found even more obstacles—but not from Mr. Scott.

If Mr. Scott's number was changed to 515, as it should be, it would conflict with the number. A very observing officer was commissioned to do the job. But he found even more obstacles—but not from Mr. Scott.

After a few more weeks, all was changed but the house numbers of Mr. Scott and Mr. Cutler. An officer was again instructed to call on Mr. Scott. But Mr. Scott was now out of town. When he returned, former chief Orin J. Tut-

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